GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
DEFENCE
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Import of Defence Equipment
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Will the Minister of DEFENCE be pleased to state:

(a) the percentage share of country's arms import in the global import of arms and ammunitions during the last three years;

(b) the total percentage of defence budget spent on import of arms and ammunitions during the said period;

(c) whether the Government has made any assessment of the quantum of reduction in import of arms and ammunitions after the implementation of the 'Make in India' initiative; and

(d) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (DR. SUBHASH BHAMRE)
IN THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE
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(a) No authoritative information regarding India's share in the global import of weapons is available. However, as per report published in February, 2016 by the Stockholm International Peace Research Institute (SIPRI), India's share in international arms imports during 2011-2015 was 14%.

(b) to (d): The expenditure on Capital acquisition from foreign vendors and percentage of such expenditure to the total expenditure on Capital acquisition during each of the last three years is as under:-

Year Expenditures
(Rs. in crore)

2013-14 35082.10 (52.47%)
2014-15 24992.36 (38.11%)
2015-16 22422.12 (36.30%)
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